## DAILY PLANET

## ALL THE NEWS THAT FITS

Monday, December 7

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## Construction of the International Space Station has begun

The crew of STS-88 began construction of the International Space Station shortly after 8 p.m. CST Sunday with the mating of the Zarya and Unity modules. Following the final docking of the modules, the crew will begin to prepare for their entry into the new station, planned for Thursday. The crew will begin setting up equipment for Monday's planned spacewalk to connect power and data cables between Unity and Zarya.

Flags at halfstaff Monday to commemorate Pearl Harbor Day

AFGE Meeting at 11:30 a.m.
Tuesday in Bldg.
4200, room P-106

## Center's tree lighting and Holiday Reception Wednesday

The Marshall Center's Christmas tree lighting and annual Holiday Reception is Wednesday. The tree lighting will be at 9 a.m. on the front lawn of Bldg. 4200, followed by the "Holiday Memories" reception from 9:30-11:30 a.m. in Bldg. 4752. Bus shuttle service for the reception will be provided. The bus schedule may be found on page 5 of the Dec. 2 issue of the Marshall Star. All Center employees, retirees and contractors are invited to participate. Dress is holiday casual.

All-hands meeting, 8:30 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 15, in Morris Auditorium